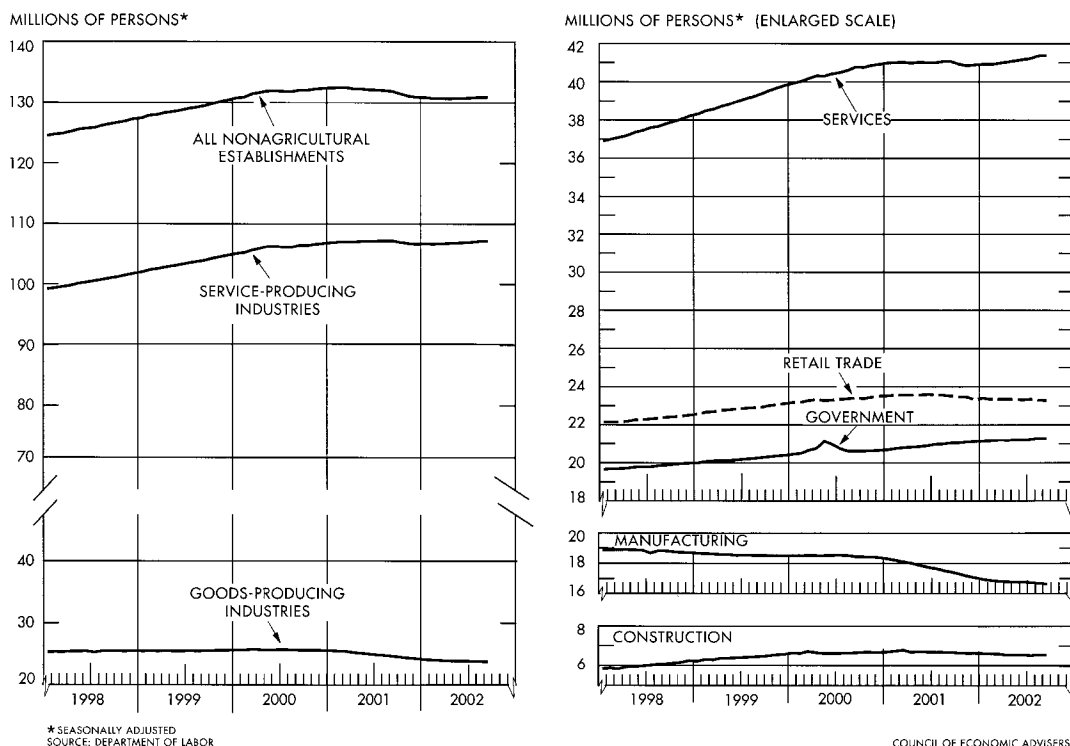


# NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT

Total nonagricultural employment as measured by the payroll survey fell by 43,000 in September.



[Thousands of wage and salary workers; <sup>1</sup> monthly data seasonally adjusted]

Period	Total nonagricultural employment	Goods-producing industries					Service-producing industries							
		Total <sup>2</sup>	Construction	Manufacturing			Total	Transportation and public utilities	Wholesale trade	Retail trade	Finance, insurance, and real estate	Services	Government	
				Total	Durable goods	Non-durable goods							Total	Federal
1992 .....	108,601	23,231	4,492	18,104	10,277	7,827	85,370	5,718	5,997	19,356	6,602	29,052	18,645	2,969
1993 .....	110,713	23,352	4,668	18,075	10,221	7,854	87,361	5,811	5,981	19,773	6,757	30,197	18,841	2,915
1994 .....	114,163	23,908	4,986	18,321	10,448	7,873	90,256	5,984	6,162	20,507	6,896	31,579	19,128	2,870
1995 .....	117,191	24,265	5,160	18,524	10,683	7,841	92,925	6,132	6,378	21,187	6,806	33,117	19,305	2,822
1996 .....	119,608	24,493	5,418	18,495	10,789	7,706	95,115	6,253	6,482	21,597	6,911	34,454	19,419	2,757
1997 .....	122,690	24,962	5,691	18,675	11,010	7,665	97,727	6,408	6,648	21,966	7,109	36,040	19,557	2,699
1998 .....	125,865	25,414	6,020	18,805	11,205	7,600	100,451	6,611	6,800	22,295	7,389	37,533	19,823	2,686
1999 .....	128,916	25,507	6,415	18,552	11,111	7,441	103,409	6,834	6,911	22,848	7,555	39,055	20,206	2,669
2000 .....	131,720	25,669	6,653	18,473	11,141	7,332	106,051	7,031	6,947	23,337	7,578	40,457	20,702	2,777
2001 .....	131,922	24,944	6,685	17,695	10,636	7,059	106,978	7,065	6,776	23,522	7,712	40,970	20,933	2,616
2001: Sept .....	131,819	24,675	6,674	17,430	10,445	6,985	107,144	7,044	6,747	23,509	7,739	41,062	21,043	2,622
Oct .....	131,414	24,511	6,643	17,302	10,343	6,959	106,903	6,974	6,728	23,470	7,743	40,923	21,065	2,622
Nov .....	131,087	24,353	6,629	17,158	10,237	6,921	106,734	6,907	6,693	23,449	7,751	40,834	21,100	2,616
Dec .....	130,890	24,261	6,634	17,062	10,166	6,896	106,629	6,856	6,702	23,318	7,748	40,883	21,122	2,615
2002: Jan .....	130,871	24,130	6,615	16,947	10,070	6,877	106,741	6,850	6,702	23,396	7,748	40,908	21,137	2,609
Feb .....	130,706	24,041	6,597	16,880	10,023	6,857	106,665	6,837	6,689	23,331	7,745	40,901	21,162	2,608
Mar .....	130,701	23,975	6,593	16,822	9,976	6,846	106,726	6,814	6,681	23,332	7,740	40,963	21,196	2,611
Apr .....	130,680	23,905	6,541	16,800	9,976	6,824	106,775	6,799	6,678	23,345	7,743	41,025	21,185	2,610
May .....	130,702	23,870	6,541	16,771	9,963	6,808	106,832	6,793	6,681	23,327	7,732	41,093	21,206	2,600
June .....	130,736	23,861	6,549	16,757	9,944	6,813	106,875	6,790	6,681	23,308	7,733	41,152	21,211	2,601
July <sup>r</sup> .....	130,790	23,812	6,519	16,742	9,922	6,820	106,978	6,780	6,679	23,339	7,737	41,215	21,228	2,607
Aug <sup>r</sup> .....	130,897	23,787	6,553	16,679	9,876	6,803	107,110	6,763	6,672	23,295	7,747	41,352	21,281	2,616
Sept <sup>p</sup> .....	130,854	23,749	6,552	16,644	9,834	6,810	107,105	6,731	6,667	23,279	7,763	41,380	21,285	2,627

<sup>1</sup> Includes all full- and part-time wage and salary workers in nonagricultural establishments who received pay for any part of the pay period which includes the 12th of the month. Excludes proprietors, self-employed persons, domestic servants, and personnel of the Armed Forces. Total in this table not comparable with estimates of nonagricultural employment of the civilian labor force, shown on p. 11, which include proprietors, self-employed persons, and domestic servants; which count persons as employed when they are not at work because of industrial disputes, bad weather, etc., even if they are not paid for the time off; and which are based on a sample

of the working-age population, whereas the estimates in this table are based on reports from employing establishments. In the series shown here, persons who work at more than one job are counted each time they appear on a payroll, in contrast to the series shown on p. 11, where persons are counted only once—as employed, unemployed, or not in the labor force.

<sup>2</sup> Includes mining, not shown separately.

Source: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.